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SUBJECT: LOS: PROPOSED PRINCIPLES FOR A REGIONAL CONSERVA-

TION AGREEMENT FOR HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES IN THE
CONTEXT OF A NEW LOS TREATY

REFS: (A) STATE 182196; (B) STATE 192195; (C) QUITE 5594;
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1. IN CONNECTION WITH MEETING OF EASTERN PACIFIC FISHING STATES SCHEDULED FOR NEW YORK IN OCTOBER, PROPOSED PRINCIPLES FOR A REGIONAL CONSERVATION AGREEMENT FOR HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES IN THE CONTEXT OF A NEW LOS TREATY SHOULD BE HANDED TO APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. IN PRESENTING PRINCIPLES EMB OFF SHOULD INDICATE THAT THEY REPRESENT US ATTEMPT TO DRAFT PAPER WHICH FAIRLY REFLECTS DIFFERING VIEWPOINTS. POSTS SHOULD ALSO INDICATE THAT WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY COMMENTS ON PRINCIPLES.

2. FOR QUITO: EMB SHOULD ASCERTAIN WHETHER GALINDO-POHL IS ACCEPTABLE AS CHAIRMAN SHOULD FACIO PROVE UNACCEPTABLE. WE FEEL THAT CHAIRMANSHIP ISSUE IS AN IMPORTANT ONE, SINCE WITHOUT CHAIRMAN MEETING WILL BE LEADERLESS AND LACK PERSON TO PRODUCE COMPROMISE TEXTS. TO AVOID WASTING TIME, SELECTION OF CHAIRMAN, WHICH, AS EVIDENCED BY PRECEDENT OF EVENSEN

GROUP, DOES NOT MAKE MEETING FORMAL, SHOULD PRECEDE MEETING. IF ECUADOREAN REACTION TO FACIO OR GALINDO-POHL IS NEGATIVE, HOWEVER, WE WILL RECONSIDER POSITION. EMB SHOULD THEREFORE DETERMINE ECUADOREAN REACTION ASAP. EMB SHOULD ALSO INDICATE THAT WE AGREE THAT INVITATIONS BE EXTENDED TO INDIVIDUALS AND THAT WE COULD AGREE TO ECUADOREAN-U.S. APPROACH TO PROPOSED CHAIRMAN RATHER THAN APPROACH BY ZULETTA.

3. FOR SANTIAGO, LIMA, TEGUCIGALPA: PLEASE INFORM RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS OF MEETING IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO AND INDICATE THAT PURPOSE OF MEETING IS TO DEVELOP BOTH LOS TUNA ARTICLE AND PROVISIONS FOR REGIONAL CONSERVATION REGIME FOR TUNA. SINCE WE ATTACH UTMOST IMPORTANCE TO MEETING, WE WOULD APPRECIATE HEARING FROM POSTS ASAP CONCERNING PARTICIPATION OF SAID STATES.

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4. FOR SANTIAGO: EMB SHOULD MAKE SURE THAT AMB. FERNANDO ZEGERS, HEAD OF CHILEAN LAW OF THE SEA DELEGATION, IS INFORMED OF NEW YORK MEETING AND GIVEN PROPOSED PRINCIPLES. EMB SHOULD INDICATE MOORE AND CLINGAN ASKED THAT ZEGERS PERSONALLY BE GIVEN COPY. AMB. MOORE COULD VISIT SANTIAGO SEPT 8 SHOULD EMB FEEL THAT VISIT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE.

5. FOR LIMA: AMB. CLINGAN COULD VISIT LIMA SEPT 8 SHOULD
EMB FEEL THAT VISIT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE. KISSINGER

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